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ENTERTAIN AT MARINELAND—The international song favorites, The Ink Spots, are currently playing a return engagement at Marineland Restaurant on the Palos Verdes peninsula.

Led by Charlie Owens (front-center) of the original Ink Spots, the close-harmony group will entertain the cocktail and dinner crowd in the "Porpoise Room" through July 2.

Conniff at the Palladium

Dates Set June 16-17

A New York music critic writes that the new sound reproduction system for ballrooms to be installed for the June 16-17 dance dates by Ray Conniff's band at Hollywood Palladium "is the most remarkable sound achievement in the history of live music."

The ecstatic critic "sat in" a rehearsal session of the Conniff orchestra while the new hi-fi stereo amplification unit was in use, and told his readers that "I heard music for the first time."

Ray Conniff's band, No. 1 in the national album sales list, brings wholly unique arrangements to the Palladium to start their first dance date tour with the "Dance in Stereo" presentation.

Conniff was for years a little-known arranger for top name bands, and joined that select group himself when he branched out as a band leader.

His style is so different that it can be called a complete departure from conventional popular orchestrating. But it keeps on being what the record-buying public wants.

The "Dance in Stereo" dates on both June 16 and June 17 start at 9:15 p.m., and it's goodnight at 1:15 a.m.



RAY CONNIFF

Voices Are Integrated

Blended human voices are simply one integrated musical "instrument" in Bandleader Ray Conniff's scores.

Conniff is the first popular orchestra leader to write arrangements in which the chorus is scored as another instrument. Conniff isn't after words — just tonal phrasing in his own unique style. His chorus may sing gibberish like bo-bo-be-bo, if Conniff gets the effects he's after.

Conniff's chorus sets patterns and interweaves counterpoint in the unusual total effect created by a conniff band.

The Attleboro, Mass. bandleader is the first to employ a chorus as an instrument "inside" the band, instead of as a separate "outside" musical entity.

The "Dance in Stereo" dance date starts at 9:15 p.m. both June 16 and June 17 at the Palladium.

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BBEF STROGONOFF
 Bob Reuben, proprietor of the Pen & Quill eatery on Sepulveda Blvd., in Manhattan Beach, vows to South Bay gourmets that his beef strogonoff is prepared from a recipe he got while touring Russia as a foreign correspondent.

RIBS DONE RIGHT
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 One out of every 15 families in the United States is dependent on milk for a livelihood.

Disney's Characters Plus Long Monorail Await Guests To Disneyland This Summer

Standing in the shade of a tall concrete pylon in front of Disneyland's main entrance, a 16 year old girl from Park Ridge, Illinois, looked in wonder at the long, sleek Monorail train clipping by overhead on its way from the Disneyland Hotel.

"When I was a little girl," she said, turning to a youthful companion, "I came to Disneyland with my parents,

but I don't remember that being here. How could I have missed it?"

When this Park Ridge lass was a "little girl" (only three years before), the monorail, indeed, did not exist in the Park. Even a year ago, there were no plans to expand the monorail to a 2½ mile transportation system to the hotel; but today this is a reality.

Each year since Disneyland opened in 1955, new attractions and entertainment have been added to make Disneyland the "Happiest Show on Earth," for summer, '61.

With the opening of Disneyland's seventh summer season in June, the "never before" include the new Monorail expansion; 33 life size-walking and talking versions of favorite Disney characters out of Walt Disney's imagination; and more than \$1 million of free "live" entertainment found in every section of the park.

For an added Disney touch, sometime this summer those "unidentified flying objects" known as Flying Saucers will arrive at Disneyland. They'll be headquartered at a Space Station in Tomorrowland.

When the Disneyland-Alweg Monorail first opened in June, 1959, at a cost of \$1.3 million, it traveled a ¾ mile radius inside the Park. In less than two years the system registered 60,000 miles, carrying 4,370,000 passengers.

Not only the first, but now the longest Monorail system in America, the new \$1.9 million expansion whisks its passengers out of the Park along Harbor Blvd., a major highway, at speeds up to 45 miles per hour. Swinging west over the half mile parking area, the train crosses West Street to a new station at the Disneyland Hotel, then heads

back again to Tomorrowland, passing in front of the Disneyland main entrance along the way. Total cost of the Monorail has now reached \$3.2 million.

Stepping out of the Monorail coach inside Disneyland to wander through the fantasies of dreams, history and predictions for the future, one is caught up in the reverie of Disneyland's summer '61 "million dollar show on a \$37 million stage" . . . the Magic Kingdom itself. This summer's visitors will be holding hands with Snow White, whistling with the Seven Dwarfs, skipping through the Castle with Mickey and Minnie Mouse, or making faces with Pluto and exchanging antics with the Mad Hatter.

From Walt Disney's parade of cartoons and motion pictures, started 38 years ago, 33 of the best known characters have been created in life-size, to greet and cavort with all those who seek fun in the park. Visitors can talk and play with Goofy, the Big Bad Wolf, the Three Little Pigs, Pinocchio, Captain Hook, Donald Duck, Goofy, Pluto and many more.

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